

POLL INDICATES ALLEN CAN HAVE VOTE OF KANSAS

Doubt as to Governor's Candidacy, So Wood Is Ahead of Him Slightly.

LOWDEN ALSO FAVORED

Strong Sentiment for Executive Who Practically Broke Coal Strike.

KANSAS.

Major-Gen. Leonard Wood received 43.4 per cent. of the first choice votes for the Republican nomination for President in the poll of the county chairmen in Kansas by THE SUN AND NEW YORK HERALD.

In spite of the fact that he is generally considered not to be a candidate, Gov. Henry J. Allen ran a close second with 23 per cent.

Gov. Frank O. Lowden received the remainder of the first choice ballots, no other candidate being named as a "first choice."

Of all the second choice votes cast Wood got the most, with Lowden, Johnson, Allen, Senator Warren G. Harding of Ohio and Senator A. B. Cummins of Iowa following in the order named. One county chairman halved his second choice between Allen and Gov. Calvin Coolidge of Massachusetts.

It was made clear by many of the chairmen voting for Wood that they would have cast their ballots for Allen if he were in the field, and that the sentiment for Wood was due in no small measure to the fact that it was believed the Governor was for the General. (Gov. Allen is vice-chairman of the Leonard Wood League.)

Kansas has no Presidential preference primary. The twenty delegates to the Republican national convention in Chicago will be elected at a State convention to be held at Salina on March 31; all but the "Big Four" having been named previously by Congress district caucuses.

League of Nations Big Issue.

As a paramount issue for 1920 the League of Nations had a commanding lead in all the replies received. The opposition to militarism, or universal training, cropped out for the first time in any State up to the present time in this series. It was mentioned repeatedly as an issue, and one chairman went so far as to say:

"A great many Republicans here would rather vote for Wilson than any man who favors compulsory military training."

"Conservation" also was mentioned for the first time as an issue. The high praise of living seems to be troubling Kansas more than Republicans in other States so far discussed.

There was no doubt about the fact that William Jennings Bryan was considered most favorably for the Democratic nomination for President, as he received practically twice as many men-

Recapitulation of Choices for Republican Presidential Race

THE following is a recapitulation of the choices for the Republican nomination for President in the various States from which the poll of the county chairmen taken by THE SUN AND NEW YORK HERALD has been published so far.

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Alabama.....	4	Wood	Lowden	Georgia.....	7	Lowden	Wood
Arizona.....	4	Wood	Lowden	Idaho.....	3	Borah	Wood
Arkansas.....	3	Lowden	Wood	Illinois.....	9	Lowden	Harding
California.....	2	Johnson	Wood	Indiana.....	2	Lowden	Wood
Colorado.....	3	Wood	Lowden	Iowa.....	2	Lowden	Wood
Connecticut.....	4	Wood	Lowden	Kansas.....	20	Wood	Allen
Delaware.....	4	Wood	Lowden				

Total number of delegates indicated by county chairmen's preferences: Lowden, 128; Wood, 58; Senator James E. Watson, 35; Senator Hiram W. Johnson, 26; Senator William E. Borah, 8.

as any other Democratic possibility.

"This is a Bryan country," wrote one man.

William G. McAdoo and President Wilson were next and ran neck and neck in the replies, with Attorney-General A. Mitchell Palmer following close behind.

Two Republican chairmen reported that Herbert Hoover was the choice of the Democrats of their county for President.

This is the way one of the leaders phrased a quite general sentiment on the part of those who did not indicate Gov. Allen as first choice:

"In marking Wood first and Johnson second I do so because the people of this county assume that Allen is not a candidate and is in favor of Wood. If Allen wanted their support it would be given."

"While there is much sentiment for Wood, he may be the weakest candidate in a campaign because of the intense hostility to militarism or universal military training."

Strong for Favorite Son.

"Of course we are strong for our favorite son, Gov. Allen," declared one of the leaders, who did not confine himself to a simple checking of the choices on the blank, "first, because it was he who took the power in his own hands to act in the coal strike when things were in a deplorable condition here in this State and succeeded in getting the coal. Also we believe here he was the main cog in breaking the big coal strike of the United States."

"Gov. Wood is the most formidable candidate in this State, excepting Gov. Allen, and it is my belief that he will go to Chicago with a very strong percentage of the delegation ready to go the limit with him. Gov. Lowden of Illinois has a good following, but is secondary choice after Wood."

"The paramount issue in this campaign will be the League of Nations, of which our honorable President is so proud, but which the American people do not want. The next important subject will be the readjustment of the industrial world on a sound basis."

Another chairman predicted a somewhat different outcome. He said:

"Delegates to the national convention will probably be divided. The four delegates at large will be uninstructed. There will be some district delegates instructed for Allen, possibly some for Wood; majority will be uninstructed. The delegation probably will be for Wood on the first ballot. Fight is being made to secure delegates who will go to Lowden after the first few ballots. This plan has strong chance to succeed."

One chairman reported only one man for Wood in his entire county.

One of the ballots gave eight choices in this order: Allen, Wood, Taft, Pershing, Coolidge, Lowden, Harding, Watson.

Of Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, one of the chairmen, who commented on

each of the twenty-one names appearing on the blank ballot, said:

"Never heard of his candidacy out here."

He said there was some sentiment in his county for Harding, Coolidge and Hoover, but none for Pershing, Poin-dexter, Sprout of Pennsylvania or Senator Sutherland of West Virginia.

"Kansas wants above everything else a good business man for President," was the declaration of one leader.

Gov. Allen is doing nothing to further his own interest. The only serious work being done in the State is for Wood and Lowden. The former has some prominent Kansans in his organization, while there are many Lowden missionaries in the State.

Reports from special correspondents in Kansas say that a year ago it was conceded that an instructed delegation for Wood would go to the Republican national convention. But the popularity of the General has steadily waned, while that of Gov. Lowden has grown. Friends of the latter are sanguine that after a complimentary vote has been given to Gov. Allen on the first ballot at least half of the twenty delegates will go over to the Illinois Governor, Senator Harding may pick up three or four delegates, while the others will go to Wood. Support for Johnson is extremely slender.

Question of Vice-Presidency.

There is one argument advanced by the friends of Wood that may have some weight. They say that Gov. Allen, if it is seen that he cannot become the candidate for President, probably would be a strong contender for Vice-President. However, that would be out of the question, if Gov. Lowden headed the ticket, because it would be necessary to take the second man from another section of the country. Naturally this argument has had no effect on the strong Lowden supporters.

It seems to be the sentiment of the leaders in the State, according to the special despatches, that the entire delegation should go to Chicago without instructions.

In addition to the issues already mentioned as being uppermost in the Kansas mind, there is apparent strong feeling for Americanism as opposed to internationalism, a desire for economy

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